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*In re:*

*Applicant:* WENDT, Dieter

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**AMENDMENT**

October 20, 2003

Hon. Commissioner of  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of *July 21, 2003*, please  
amend the application as follows:

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